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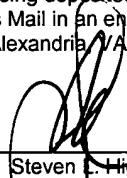
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Re: Serial Number 09/899,376 entitled "ISOLATION OF A CELL SPECIFIC
INTERNALIZING PEPTIDE THAT INFILTRATES TUMOR TISSUE FOR
TARGETED DRUG DELIVERY" by Frank D. Hong et al.
Our ref: UTSC:645US

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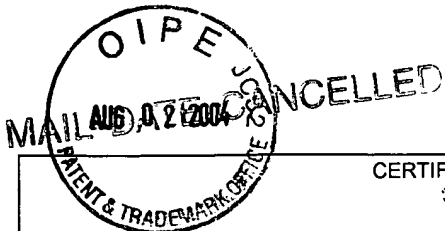
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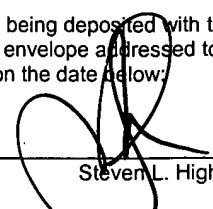
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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Frank D. HONG and
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Serial No.: 09/899,376

Filed: July 2, 2001

For: ISOLATION OF A CELL-SPECIFIC
INTERNALIZING PEPTIDE THAT
INFILTRATES TUMOR TISSUE FOR
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on May 3, 2004, for which the three-month date for response August 3, 2004. It is believed that no fees are due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/UTSD:645US. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper; **Remarks** begin on page 4.